NEWS RELEASE



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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

ONE WAY TRAFFIC CONTROL ON STATE ROUTE 44 IN PALO CEDRO

Traffic on State Route 44 at the Cow Creek Bridge in Palo Cedro will be under one-way traffic control beginning on Monday, September 12, 2011 at 7 p.m. and continuing through the night until Tuesday morning, September 13, 2011 at 7 a.m. The contractor will be removing and replacing the concrete on the bridge deck. Traffic will be reduced to one lane and controlled by flaggers. The work is anticipated to be complete by 7 a.m. on Tuesday, September 12, 2011, but motorists should anticipate delays during the morning commute and plan to take alternate routes if possible.

The Cow Creek Bridge deck rehabilitation is part of a \$1.4 million, multi-location project to improve bridges decks on state highways throughout Shasta County. Work on this bridge will remove damaged concrete at two separate (approximately 6ft x 10ft) locations on the deck, leave existing deck rebar intact, and pour back new concrete. Follow up work will include paving with polyester concrete on the bridge deck, smoothing bridge and roadway connections, and traffic striping.

Please travel with caution through the area and remember to "Slow for the Cone Zone". For more information please contact the Public Information Office at 530-225-3260 or denise_yergenson@dot.ca.gov.

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